

1. (Three Times Amended) A solid particulate pharmaceutical dosage form suitable for oral delivery comprising a pharmaceutical agent and a solidified matrix, the pharmaceutical agent being sparingly water-soluble and having a substantially crystalline particulate form, the pharmaceutical agent being at least partially coated with the solidified matrix to enhance the dissolution rate of the pharmaceutical agent in water, the solidified matrix directly contacting the pharmaceutical agent and consisting of one or more water-soluble polymers.